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30 September 1948

MEMORANDUM FOR: DIRECTOR OF SPYRAL INTELLIGENCE

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Attention: Executive for All

SUBJECT: Request for authorization to interview certain specialized applicants in Washington at Agency expense.

25X1A      1. This memorandum will confirm the conversation of 28 September 1948 between [REDACTED] in which it was pointed out that during the next 60 days of rapid expansion in OPC, it will be highly desirable to invite certain highly specialized applicants to Washington for final interviewing at Agency expense. The number of such cases should not exceed 25, including both potential staff and operational personnel.

2. It is requested that the Director delegate such authority to the Assistant Director for Policy Coordination, with the understanding that he will exercise personal control and will not use this privilege except in those instances where it would be more efficient and economical to handle the matter in this manner, rather than send a representative of this office out to the field for such purpose.

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[REDACTED]  
Assistant Director for  
Policy Coordination

*verified by [REDACTED]*  
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In accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 16 and 16a,  
authority is hereby delegated to each of the following named  
individuals to administer to civilian employees of the Central  
Intelligence Agency the Oath of Office or any other oath required  
by law in connection with employment, with the exception of the  
Officer's Certificate of Residence:

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The authorities delegated to the above individuals shall  
expire at the termination of their services with the Agency, unless  
sooner terminated by administrative action.

Each oath administered under this authority shall contain,  
in addition to signature of officer administering the oath, payroll  
title, Agency, and the notation "Act of June 26, 1943, Sec. 206,  
5 U.S.C. 16a.

All prior specific delegations in this connection are hereby  
rescinded.

25X1A Director's signature.  


cc: Central Records (2)  
General Counsel